

# THE ALMA HOUR

Matinee Daily 2:30 P. M.  
Evening 7:00-8:30 P. M.

Where **GOOD SHOWS** are the **RULE**--not the **EXCEPTION**

SUNDAYS:  
Continuous 2:30 to 11 P. M.

**FRIDAY**  
**Douglas McLean and Doris May**

## "Mary's Ankle"

One of the funniest, cleverest, most entertaining pictures you ever saw. You will remember this team in "23 1/2 Hours' Leave" and "What's Your Husband Doing?" See this Sure!

Also Burlingame Scenic and Mutt & Jeff

**SATURDAY**  
**Dorothy Dalton**

## "Black is White"

By George Barr McCutcheon  
A picture based on one of the most unusual stories from the pen of one of America's great writers of romantic adventure stories.

Also Christie Comedy "Fair But False"

**SUNDAY**  
**Olive Thomas**

## "Footlights and Shadows"

The "inside story" of the life of a Broadway beauty and a peep behind the scenes of the "Midnight Revue." Interesting, absorbing, compelling—a strong emotional drama with elaborate settings, gorgeous gowns, artistic lighting effects, a new and novel plot.

Also one of those delightfully funny Sunshine comedies, "Hungry Lions and Tender Hearts"

**MONDAY and TUESDAY**  
**Marion Davies**

## "April Folly"

Taken from one of the most widely read and most popular stories appearing in the Cosmopolitan during the past year. Teeming with adventure, romance and mystery, "April Folly" promises real entertainment.

Also Paramount Magazine

**WEDNESDAY**  
**Anita Stewart**

## "The Combat"

Beautiful Anita Stewart in a role that gives full scope to her ability and charm. A western drama of thrilling intensity.

—Also—  
**CHARLIE CHAPLIN**

## "The Fireman"

One of the funniest pictures he ever made. If you have seen it once, come and see it again.

**THURSDAY AND FRIDAY ---**

**RUPERT HUGHES**

**BIG SEVEN-REEL SPECIAL**

## "THE CUP OF FURY"

One of the most dramatic and spectacular pictures you ever saw.

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## Regent Theatre

THE HOUSE OF GOOD PICTURES

Matinee Daily 2:15  
Evenings 6:15 to 11  
11c-17c  
Those coming as late as 9:30 will see an entire show

—SATURDAY—  
**MARY McLAREN**

## "The Road to Divorce"

A UNIVERSAL SPECIAL FEATURE.  
**HAROLD LLOYD**

In another of his new \$100,000 two reel comedies.

SPECIAL —SUNDAY— No Raise in Prices  
**CONSTANCE TALMAGE**

## "Two Week"

Constance trips lightly on the screen in this new and saucy picture. You will hold your sides with laughter at this one. VITAGRAPH COMEDY—"He Never Touched Me"

EXTRA—TUCKER'S ORCHESTRA EVENING ONLY

—MONDAY—  
**MARY BOLAND**

## "The Prodigal Wife"

LADIES SEE THIS ONE  
ADDED COMEDY

—TUESDAY—  
**VIOLA DANA**

## "Satan Junior"

EPISODE NO. 5 "INVISIBLE HAND"

—WEDNESDAY—  
**Marguerite Snow-Mitchel Lewis**

## "Million Dollar Mystery"

47,000 feet of thrills, suspense and action crammed into 6 big acts

Matinee THURSDAY—FRIDAY Evening  
11c-20c 15c-25c

**KATHERINE MacDONALD**

MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN ON THE SCREEN

## "The Beauty Market"

WHY ALWAYS BLAME THE WOMAN?

Based on sex antagonism with a great plot that holds until the final fade out.

COMING—James Oliver Curwood's latest picture, "The River's End." Better than his last one "Back to God's Country."

### CITY COMMISSION

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"An Ordinance to amend sections one and six of Ordinance No. 79 of the ordinances of the City of Alma, the same being an ordinance granting to R. B. Wagner of Grand Rapids, Michigan, his successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and operate Gas Works in the City of Alma, Michigan," is hereby repealed.

Section 3. That Ordinance No. 108 of the ordinances of the City of Alma, Michigan, August 19, 1919, entitled, "An Ordinance, without prejudice to the rights of the city of Alma, relative to the increase of gas rates under the Gas Franchise enacted and adopted by the said city of Alma, Michigan, January 7, 1913, as amended March 7, 1913" is hereby repealed.

Section 4. The said franchise granted by said Ordinance No. 79 as amended by Ordinance No. 80, and all rights under Ordinance No. 108 and all rights and interests of the holders therein, and of the Gratiot County Gas company, a corporation, hereby declared forfeited on account of the breach and default, on the part of the Gratiot County Gas company, a corporation, of the covenants and conditions contained in said franchise ordinance as amended; and all the rights and privileges of the said Gratiot County Gas company, successors of R. B. Wagner, as well as the said R. B. Wagner, to operate in the City of Alma, conferred by said ordinance No. 79, as amended by ordinance No. 80, and all rights conferred by ordinance No. 108 are hereby declared to be null and void, and of no force or effect.

This ordinance is to take immediate effect upon its due passage and publication.

Passed and approved March 30, 1920.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Gratiot, City of Alma, ss.

Charles R. Murphy, Mayor, and Jessie Wolford, Clerk, of the City of Alma, Michigan, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing ordinance was passed and approved March 30, duly published in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in the city of Alma, Michigan.

Charles R. Murphy, Mayor, Jessie Wolford, City Clerk.

EXHIBIT C.  
Resolution

Resolved by the City Commission now in session at the City Hall that in annulling the franchise of the Gas Company and recommending that it be placed under the control of the State Utilities Commission, our aim is to get better service at a rate that will be reasonable both to the Gas Company and the consumers, and from time to time, we will place before the Commission at Lansing all signed reasonable complaints that citizens of Alma may file, with the City Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Gratiot, ss.

I, Jessie Wolford, City Clerk of the City of Alma, in said county and state, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of a resolution submitted and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Alma, at a regular session thereof held at its Chambers in said City on Tuesday, the 30 of March 1920.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand officially and the Seal of the City of Alma, this 31st day of March, 1920.

Jessie Wolford, City Clerk.

Moved by Commissioner Glass and supported by Commissioner Archer that petition be received and placed on file.

Yeas, Commissioners Chick, Cresser, Glass and Archer.

Moved by Commissioner Glass and supported by Commissioner Archer that the Commission adjourn. Motion carried.

Jessie Wolford, City Clerk, Charles R. Murphy, Mayor.

How is Your Complexion.

A woman should grow more beautiful as she grows older and she will with due regard to baths, diets and exercise, and by keeping her liver and bowels in good working order. If you are haggard and yellow, your eyes losing their lustre and whites becoming yellowish, your flesh flabby, it may be due to indigestion or to a sluggish liver. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders.

Charlie Chaplin with 1,000 laughs—Idlehour, Wednesday—adv.

### THE THEATRE

The Regent  
Katherine MacDonald, generally termed the "world's most beautiful woman," will be seen in a strong society drama, when "The Beauty Market," her latest production, is shown at the Regent theatre, Thursday and Friday, April 29 and 30.

Miss MacDonald was brought to the attention of photoplay fans by her work in "The Woman Thou Gavest Me." She was last seen here in her sensational success, "The Thunderbolt." The current picture is declared to be her greatest work thus far.

### LEGAL NOTICES

Estate of Addie Wright, Deceased

HEARING CLAIMS

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the village of Ithaca in said county on the 25th day of March, 1920.

Present: J. Lee Potts, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Addie Wright, deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to Probate and Herbert R. Strong, of Riverdale, Michigan, appointed administrator thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 25th day of July, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

A true copy. Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Register of Probate.

ELLEN M. WALTER, Judge of Probate.

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Estate of Bert Hambrorough, Deceased

HEARING CLAIMS

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the village of Ithaca in said county, on the 3rd day of April, 1920.

Present: J. Lee Potts, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Bert Hambrorough, deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to Probate and Karl R. Adams, of Alma, Michigan, appointed administrator thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

A true copy. Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Register of Probate.

ELLEN M. WALTER, Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the village of Ithaca in said county, on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1920.

Present: Hon. J. Lee Potts, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of M. Lydia Kohn, deceased.

Leopold Kohn, husband of deceased, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to John B. Spinney or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 29th day of April, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

A true copy. Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Register of Probate.

ELLEN M. WALTER, Judge of Probate.

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Estate of Jerry Coughlin, Deceased

HEARING CLAIMS

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the village of Ithaca in said county, on the 12th day of April, 1920.

Present: Hon. J. Lee Potts, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Jerry Coughlin, deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to Probate and John F. Coughlin, of Merrill, Michigan, appointed executor thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 13th day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

A true copy. Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Register of Probate.

ELLEN M. WALTER, Judge of Probate.

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Estate of Nancy Ray, Deceased

HEARING CLAIMS

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Ithaca in said County on the 9th day of April, 1920.

Present: J. Lee Potts, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Nancy Ray, deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to Probate and Clark H. Dees, of Alma, Michigan, appointed executor thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday, the 10th day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

A true copy. Attest: J. LEE POTTS, Register of Probate.

ELLEN M. WALTER, Judge of Probate.

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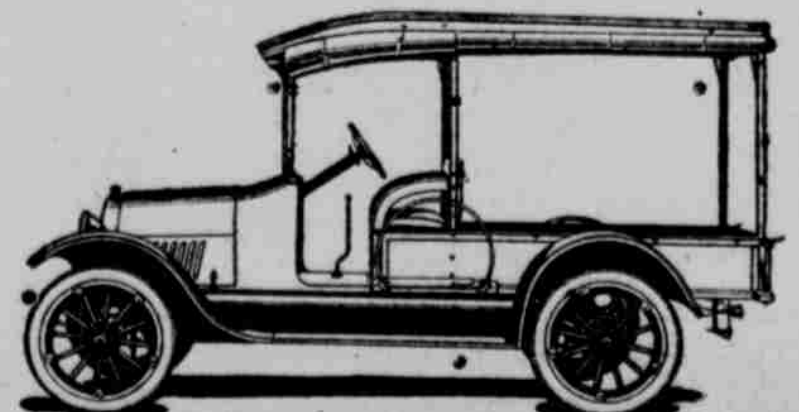
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